



Thanksgiving

... it commemorates no hero, celebrates no battlefield, is subject to no lobby, is sponsored by no special group, sect or party; it doesn't even fall on the same date twice.

Yet Thanksgiving is an affirmation; it is a testimony to convictions — convictions that those things we call freedom and decency and American are ours to have and to hold.

We fought for these things in 1776; we legislated, in 1863, to affirm a principle that all men are created free and equal; then we fought to prove it; today we stand firm in our deep belief in the prevailing rights and privileges of the individual.

And we stand convinced that freedom and decency and democracy offer the world's great hope, theoretically and practically,

for the real happiness of men and women.

On this peculiar day — on this Thanksgiving day, we take stock of the things we believe in; we renew our faith and confidence in ourselves, in our nation, in our neighbors, in our way of life. And we look ahead in the knowledge that these beliefs, these faiths must live by our own efforts, our own wisdom, our own actions.

28 BREEDERS CONSIGN TO VALLEY SALE

Twenty-eight breeders have consigned to the fourth annual sale of the San Joaquin Valley Hereford association that will be held December 15, beginning at noon, at the Tulare county fair grounds in Tulare, with 87 head of polled and horned animals, mostly range bulls and herd sire prospects, to be offered.

Consignors include: Omer G. Avery, George G. Ferguson, F. R. and E. K. Farnsworth, Cyrille O. Faure, Ray and Louise Hutchinson, Giddings and Patterson, Art O. Seguin and Gerald L. Vossler of the Porterville area; Theo. L. Cairns, Luther V. Patterson, Webb Hereford ranch and S. E. Walters of the Lindsay district.

F. E. Crews, Laton; Diamond K. R. ranch, Kingsburg; Elliott Farms, Hadley Hereford ranch and Richard Hash, Visalia; H. B. Cattle company, Delano; Hilo McMill-

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 8)



FIVE GENERATIONS are represented in the above picture: W. W. Carroll is the man with the accordion, with him is his daughter, Dolly Williams of Long Beach, his granddaughter, Lily May Smith of Pixley, his great grandson, Leslie Smith and his great, great granddaughter, Cathy Lynn Smith. Mr. Carroll, now a resident of Springville, is a former Pixley district rancher, going there in 1917. He has raised a family of seven children, has 32 grandchildren. His hobby is the accordion, which he learned to play by ear. He is a native of Texas and as a boy there, was well known as a race horse rider.

PAPA Turkey Shoot Set For Sunday

Annual turkey shoot sponsored by the Porterville Area Pilots' association is slated for next Sunday, December 30, at the Porterville municipal airport, with competition set up for shotgun, rifle and pistol; with special games for the ladies and special prizes throughout the day.

If the weather is good, pilots from throughout the valley are expected to fly in for the shoot. In charge are Mel Landon, Vince McHenry and Herb Long.

THE FARM TRIBUNE

Thursday, November 27, 1952

PUBLISHED WEEKLY

— PORTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA

VOL. VI—NO. 22

IMPROVEMENT FOR FAIR IS PLANNED

Decision to put a 30-pound felt roof on the commercial display building at the Porterville fair grounds was reached by director of the Porterville Junior Livestock show and fair at a meeting Tuesday evening at Gang Sue's Tea Garden in Porterville.

Sunday, December 7, was set as the first work day for the roofing project, with directors to be on hand at 8 a.m. to start actual work. Persons interested in the fair are also asked to volunteer their services for this job.

Prior to actual laying of roofing material, it will be necessary to complete a certain amount of skilled carpenter work on the roof, also to cover knot holes in the roof sheeting.

Other improvements that will be made prior to opening of the 1953 fair, but not immediately, will be completion of the concrete floor in the display building and the installation of adequate electrical wiring.

Directors will also urge exhibitors, through a letter that will be sent to business firms who participated in the fair last year, to start planning commercial exhibits now, with the idea in mind that

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 8)

FALLBROOK FILM TO BE SHOWN AT PRAIRIE CENTER

A motion picture dealing with the famous Fallbrook water case will be shown by J. J. Deuel, director of water problems for the California Farm Bureau Federation at a meeting of the Prairie Center Farm center to be held Friday, November 28, at 7 p.m. at the Sunnyside school.

Chairman Stanley Hefner states that a potluck dinner will open the meeting, with each family asked to bring a hot dish, salad or dessert and own table service. The center will provide hot rolls, coffee or chocolate, and butter.

New Wind Machine Agency Announced

Of interest to citrus growers is the announcement that Marks Tractor and Truck Company in Porterville is now the agent for Blevans Wind Machines for use in frost protection.

The machines feature a new tower design, quiet operation, construction that assures long operation and a record of successful performance. Better frost protection is guaranteed by an exclusive propeller design which, it is stated, also gives maximum efficiency from horsepower used.

Dr. C. H. Ludwig Is Superintendent Of New Porterville State Hospital; Purchases Will Be On Basis Of Bids

Dr. Charles H. Ludwig was this week named superintendent of the new Porterville State home for the mentally deficient. He will assume duties at Porterville on December 19, with a "skeleton" staff of assistants, to start preparations for receiving patients early next spring.

The 31-year-old psychiatrist will move into the \$12,500 a year civil service job from his present position as clinical director of the Sonoma state home.

Dr. Ludwig, a California native son, was born in Blue Canyon, Placer county. He received his medical degree from the University of California school of medicine, interned at the San Francisco county hospital and received his psychiatric training at the Langley Porter clinic in San Francisco. He is a member of various professional groups; is married and has three children.

In other developments of the

week concerning the new state home, it was pointed out at a public meeting in the Porterville city hall Monday evening, that all supplies for the hospital will be purchased on a basis of competitive bid. It appeared from comments of state officials that large supplies of milk, eggs, meat, vegetables and other farm products would probably be purchased locally.

Persons desiring to have their names placed on a supplies list for the hospital in order that they will receive bid notices on items the hospital will use should send a letter to the Bureau of Purchases, State Capitol building, Sacramento 14, California. Information can also be forwarded through the Porterville chamber of commerce office.

Concerning employment at the hospital, it was stated that all jobs are under civil service and

(Continued on page 8)

New Water District Is Considered For Porterville Area East Of Highway

Formation of some type of water district to take Central Valley project water into the general Porterville farming area east of Hwy. 65 is again being discussed, with ranch owners meeting Tuesday evening in the Porterville city hall to hear a discussion of various types of districts by James M. Carl, attorney on the staff of the state division of water resources.

Several types of district were explained by Mr. Carl, however, interested ranchers plan to further consider the matter before definitely determining on type of district.

The general district plan is similar to one talked about two years ago. Area being considered for

the district would be east of highway 65 and would extend from the vicinity of Reid road on the north through the citrus belt south of the Tule river, with city area and heavily populated districts excluded.

(Continued on Page 8)

SENATOR J. HOWARD WILLIAMS TO SPEAK AT 36TH ANNUAL MEETING OF CALIFORNIA CATTLEMEN IN SAN DIEGO, DECEMBER 14-15

State Senator J. Howard Williams, of Porterville, chairman of the Senate Water Resources committee and of the Interim Joint Committee on Water, will be one of the principal speakers at the 36th annual convention of the California Cattlemen's association that will be held December 12 and 13 at the Hotel del Coronado in San Diego.

In addition to the regular convention, the association's women's auxiliary, the California Cow Belles, will hold their first annual convention. A number of southeastern Tulare county cattlemen and their wives plan to attend the San Diego event.

Other speakers will include: Sam Hyatt, president of the American National Cattlemen's association; Harry Reed, director of the livestock branch of the department of agriculture; Seth Gordon, director of the California department of fish and game; Seth Shaw, director of meat operations for Safeway stores and Allen F. Mather, assistant executive secretary of

ORANGES MOVE INTO GOOD MARKET

About 850 cars of Central California Navel oranges will move to market this week as activity increases in the southeastern Tulare county area and throughout the Central California producing district. Arizona will ship about 150 cars.

The fruit is moving into an excellent market and quality is reported as being tops. Although some growers appear to be a bit anxious about the weather, there has been no move to "rush" the season and industry men state that with orderly marketing, a good season is indicated.

Heavy rain last week and wet trees during the mornings since has slowed picking operations, factors that are classed "as blessings in disguise" by some citrus men.

Actually, shipments to date are less than last year at this time, even though there is no prorate in operation this year. Weather, and later maturity are chiefly responsible.

It is the opinion of packing house men that the market is well able to handle the 1,000 or so cars of Navels that are being shipped this week.

Shipping of Southern California Valencias is rapidly declining according to a report from Sunkist Growers, as actual marketing of the southern crop moves into its finish.

the Agricultural Council of California.

Special speakers at the women's meetings will include Mrs. O. W. Lynam, president of the American National Cow Belles and Mrs. Bell Benchley, executive secretary of the San Diego Zoological Society.

A feature of the entertainment program will be "A Night In Old Mexico," with cattlemen chartering a Tiajuana night club for the evening.

Annual meeting of the board of directors of the cattlemen's association will be held December 11. Presiding at the convention will be John Baumgartner Jr., president of the California Cattlemen's association.

Ira Anthony Heads Tule Water Assn.

Ira Anthony was reelected president of the Tule River Water association at a meeting held Monday evening in the Porterville city hall. John C. Gauger is executive secretary and Stanley Shiplett, secretary-treasurer.

1927 **HELP CELEBRATE OUR** 1952 25th Anniversary Sale

AMAZING VALUE!

Not Cloth... Not Fiber... **Firestone**
but *Famous* -



Velon * **PLASTIC SEAT COVERS**

Regularly \$30.95 Now

24⁹⁵

Sedans
& Coaches

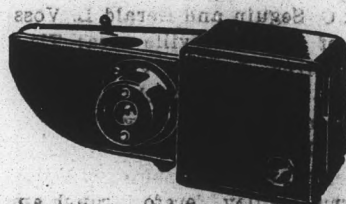
* Trade Mark

By Popular Demand

WE ARE EXTENDING
OUR ANNIVERSARY SALE
THROUGH DECEMBER 3rd

**FIRESTONE
LIQUID
RADIATOR
CLEANER**

Reg. 59c, Now
49c



FRESH AIR HEATER
Fits Most Late-Model
Fords and
Chevrolets
\$26⁷⁸
Regular \$39.95

SPECIAL! PRICES SLASHED...



Firestone
**GUARANTEED
New Treads**

Applied on Guaranteed Tire Bodies or on Your Own Tires

Reg. ~~\$9.95~~

\$7⁹⁵
Sale

**EASY
TERMS**

6.00-16
AND YOUR
OLD TIRE
Other Sizes
Also Low!

He Who Hesitates
Loses Out!

**SAVE YOUR CASH
... Buy All Your
Needs at these Low
Prices ... Use Our
EASY-PAY PLAN**

**RADIATOR
RUST
RESISTER**



Was 55c

Now

49c

FIRESTONE

Frigitex Methanol

Anti-Freeze

Regularly \$1.50
per gal.

98c

Save Your Cash

Buy Your Automotive Needs at These
Low Prices

Fuel Pumps Were \$2.98 Now **95c**

Oil Filters All Sizes **79c**

Spark Plug Wire Sets Were \$3.49 **\$1⁵⁹**

Musical Horns Stock No. 3B205 Regular \$21.95. Now **\$13⁹⁵**



**Amber
Lens
FOG
LIGHT**

Were \$4.49 each
\$2.19 ea.



**Firestone
FRIGITONE
PERMANENT ANTI-FREEZE**
Permanent, Safe —
No boiling away! **\$2.95**
Regular \$3.75 gal.

**PRICE SLASHED
FAMOUS DORMEYER
MIXER - JUICER**



formerly
\$29.95
While
Quantities
Last

19⁹⁸
only
2.00
Down
1.00 a Week

VALLEY BODY CO.

YOUR FIRESTONE STORE AT
Porterville

Second & Morton Sts.

Phone 186

INTERNATIONAL FARM YOUTH EXCHANGEES APPLICATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED NOW AT TULARE COUNTY FARM ADVISOR OFFICE

Tulare county young rural citizens between 20 and 30 years of age will again have the opportunity to apply for consideration as International Farm Youth Exchangees. Farm Advisor John A. Emo, of the University of California, says that applications for departure in the summer of 1953 will be accepted between now and December 15 at the office of the farm advisor, postoffice building, Visalia.

The International Farm Youth Exchange, John A. Emo explains, is a project for young people from farms in the United States to live and work on farms in other countries and for farm youths from these countries to come here and observe rural life.

The chief qualification for an IFYE applicant is that he or she should have been reared on a farm and know its life and work. Since

the delegates also act as ambassadors of good will from the United States, IFYE's must be of mature personality and high school graduates. If they are selected to go to a non-English speaking country, they must be willing to learn the language of their host country.

The International Farm Youth exchange program has enabled some 280 young men and women from the United States to visit 35 countries all over the free world. At the same time, 215 young people from other countries have visited the United States in exchange. California sent five young people abroad last year, and five are in other countries now, living and working as members of farm families.

No government funds are used in the IFYE project. The expenses are met by voluntary contributions to the National 4-H Club foundation and through local support by citizens interested in furthering an understanding between rural people everywhere.

"Control Tower" Visibility Feature Of New Plymouth

"Control Tower" visibility is offered in the new Plymouth cars for 1953 with a one-piece windshield and wrap-around rear window.

More uniform curvature in the windshield provides for minimum distortion, even near the corner posts.

Total glass area has been increased 15.7 per cent over the 1952 models. Extension of the rear window into the quarter panels permits a better view of cars approaching on either side in the rear.

The increase in glass area provides almost full 360-degree visibility, not only for the driver but for all passengers in both front and rear seats.

This new, more extensive visibility is available also in Solex heat-absorbing tinted glass which also cuts down on glare.

Farm Bureau Livestock Market

VISALIA, Nov. 19 — Cattle: Sales on choice fed steers and yearlings were made at \$28.90 to \$30.00, a package scaling around 1,100 pounds at \$28.90, and a sprinkling of commercial and good grades sold at \$22.00 to \$27.00, utility at \$15.00 to \$19.00, a few cutters down to \$13.00. Commercial and low good heifers cashed at \$18.50 to \$24.50, a few cutter and utility heifers at \$13.00 to \$18.00. Commercial cows were in light supply at \$16.50 to \$17.90, utility cows predominating at \$14.00 to \$16.00, canners and cutters selling at \$10.00 to \$13.75, shelly canners down to around \$8.00. Utility and commercial bulls cleared at \$17.00 to \$20.50, cutter and lightweight utility bulls at \$14.00 to \$16.50. Good and low choice 650 to 900 pound stocker and feeder steers sold at \$19.75 to \$22.50, common and medium stockers predominating at \$14.50 to \$19.50, inferior kind selling down to \$12.50. Medium and good yearling replacement heifers cashed at \$17.00 to \$21.50, common stock heifers down to \$14.00, common to good stocker

cows at \$11.50 to \$14.40.

Calves: Commercial and good vealers in light supply sold at \$19.50 to \$26.25, a few prime at \$32.00 to \$33.50, cull and utility at \$10.00 to \$19.00. Good and choice slaughter calves were plentiful at \$22.50 to \$26.00, cull to commercial grades selling at \$11.00 to \$21.00. Good and choice stocker and feeder steer calves cashed at \$22.00 to \$25.00, heifer calves at \$20.00 to \$23.50, common and medium grades at \$15.00 to \$19.00.

At the Visalia Farm Bureau Hog Auction on November 17, hog marketing totalled 184 head, butchers predominating in the supply. Prices on all classes compared around steady with last week. Most choice 1-3 butchers 180 to 240 pounds secured \$18.80 to \$19.20, medium 165 to 220 pound averages selling at \$18.05 to \$18.70. Choice 438 pound sows sold at \$15.50, and a few 215 to 320 pound averages at \$16.05 to \$17.35. Good 80 pound feeder pigs sold as high as \$19.20.

Whenever grapevines fail to grow properly, the trouble nearly always involves the root system. Often either nematodes or phylloxera have so damaged the roots that their function is greatly impaired.

Christmas Tree Planned For Town

Plans for a community Christmas tree and program at Springville were discussed by members of the Springville Progressive Club auxiliary at a recent meeting, with the club to participate, with other Springville groups, in the Christmas program.

Mrs. Hazel Sanders resigned as secretary-treasurer of the organization because of lack of time and was succeeded by Mrs. Bonnie Davis. Presiding was Mary Washburn, club president.

The rootknot nematode has been found to attack the 1613 rootstock in several instances. While 1613 is supposed to have nematode resistance, it has failed under some conditions.

Furniture Upholstering

Aluminum Awnings

Venetian Blinds

ABC TOP & AWNING WORKS

999 W. Olive Phone 366 Porterville

RUGS

CARPETS

LINOLEUM

VENETIAN BLINDS



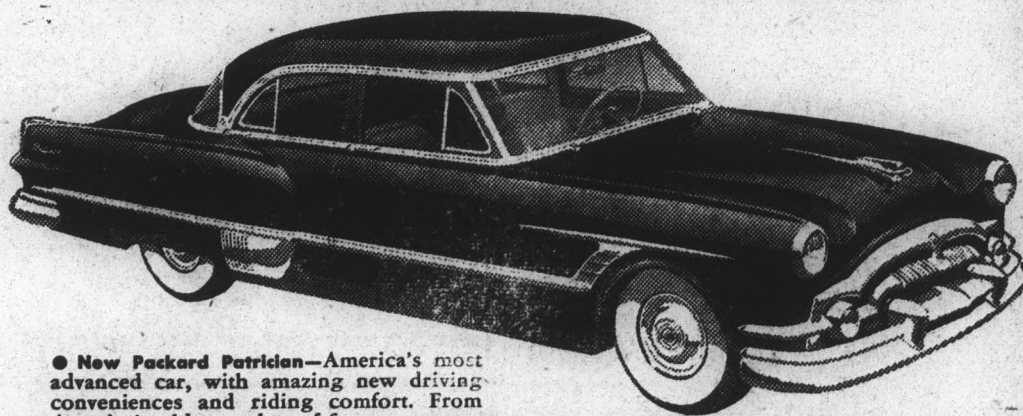
Western Floor Covering Co.

901 W. Olive Phone 1838 Porterville

Come In And See Two Great Lines Of New Cars For '53

PACKARD

Greater Horsepower! Power Steering! Power Brakes! Advanced Contour Styling!



● New Packard Patrician—America's most advanced car, with amazing new driving conveniences and riding comfort. From America's oldest maker of fine cars comes this new leader in the quality field!



● New Packard Clipper Deluxe 4-Door Sedan offers big-car value at medium-car cost. This sensational buy is the product of famous Packard engineering, experience and craftsmanship.

Porterville Sales & Service

YOUR PACKARD DEALER

Orange and "D"

Porterville

Phone 329

CASE SERVICE PARTS

CASE SHOP SERVICE

In Business to Serve You...

Next to a new Case machine, you can't find anything better than an old Case machine kept running like new by proper adjustment and renewal of wearing parts. We always try to have on hand factory parts for any Case machine used in this locality. Our shop is equipped especially for farm machinery repairs and overhauling. Come in now and arrange a convenient time for your service work.

Porterville Farm Implement Co.

We Are The Only Authorized Factory Representatives For

Wisconsin Engines and Parts

GEORGE OVERCASH

428 S. Main St.

Phone 1095

Porterville

(Across From Justesen's Market)



FINS UR EATHERS

By Phil The Forester



Apparently our San Joaquin Valley synthetic big game bird hunting season got off to a good start when the season opened last Saturday for a ten day run. Reports indicate that most of the hunters did fairly good with the big domestic raised pheasant the opening, but not so good thereafter.

It takes just a few shots to signal the foxy pheasant, wild or

domesticated, that he's the target object and from there on out he plays snake in the grass, just won't get out in front of the gun. Dogs do little better than men when it comes to flushing ring-necks after the first few hours of gun fire. But a downed pheasant isn't always a dead bird and that's when the retriever dog earns his keep.

It's interesting to look back over our state game farm system of operation. California started its game bird farm program about 1914 with intent to raise various species in an area it was presumed they would multiply and provide hunting but it took almost 40 years to discover that mother nature couldn't be helped too much with her feathered children.

The game farm was responsible for the introduction of pheasants in California but it's doubtful that any game manager will credit farm operations for keeping a stock of the birds in the wild. They either become established, multiply and spread or disappear. The Sacramento Valley is a good example of the former, the San Joaquin Valley, an example of the latter. In this valley there is some good pheasant habitat here and there where the birds have succeeded on their own but for the most part it has been the release of the pen raised birds that keep them present.

In the last two or three years, game farm operations have moved to the status of clay pigeons and trap shooting. The hunter yells, "Pull," the cage door is opened, out go the birds and the boys have at 'em. Well, maybe it isn't quite

PUBLIC ACCEPTANCE OF GRAPES STUDIED BY UNIVERSITY MAN DURING MONTH SPENT AT NEW YORK AUCTION

By Frederik L. Jensen
Farm Advisor

Dr. K. E. Nelson of the Department of Viticulture, University of California has just returned after spending a month at the New York auction studying the relationships between Emperor quality and price.

Dr. Nelson found that the New York market demands well-colored crisp fruit. While the buyers prefer the bright pink-red color, they do not object to a purple color particularly providing it is also crisp. Regularity of color is also desirable as well as large berries.

Emperor stem conditions and color has not been outstanding so far. In many packs too much green was showing. Many of the stems

had dried. With stringy clusters where the stems of the shoulders are naked the stem condition is particularly important. The buyers are not so critical of the stems themselves as they are of them as an index of the age and previous handling of the fruit. The green succulent stem, so subject to drying out, is not considered favorably although this is a minor item.

Both Emperors and Tokays sell within the same price range. The Tokay has an advantage in flavor which is offset by the greater amount of shatter. The New York markets prefer seedless, and Thompson will outsell either Tokays or Emperors so long as the quality is good.

Margaret Billings Again President Of Camp Fire Council

Porterville Council of Camp Fire Girls met Monday evening at the Bellevue School, with election of officers for the 1952-53 year being the main business of the evening.

Margaret Billings was reelected as president, Ruth Gilliam as vice-president, Thelma Wood as secretary, and Hazel Lofton is the new treasurer. Standing committee posts which were filled are: Extension and adult membership, Mrs. C. A. Renouf; camp, Lloyd Whistance; finance, Coy Perkins; publicity, Mrs. Charles Hoester; and training, Mrs. Coy Perkins.

The budget for the coming year was presented by Coy Perkins and accepted by the council.

Mrs. Louise Lockett represented the Ducor area. Mrs. Sybil Killingsworth is the guardian for a newly organized group of Camp Fire Girls who meet at the Ducor school.

Springville 4-H Sees Demonstrations

George and Rollis Phipps gave a demonstration on how to open feed sacks and Barbara Frayo, Jackie Root, Carmon Witt and Connie Corzine demonstrated the proper way to introduce people at a meeting of the Springville 4-H club held recently at the Pixley home.

Following the well-attended meeting, refreshments were served to club members and parents.

Light cotton seed may be due to either too early a defoliation or failure to irrigate late enough this season to mature top bolls.

SPORTSMAN'S CALENDAR

Bears — Ends December 31.
Bag limit: 2 bears per season.

Pheasants — Ends December 1.
Bag limit: 10 male birds per season, 2 per day. In the counties of San Benito, Kern and San Bernardino, and counties south, the daily bag may include one female pheasant. Shooting hours: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in all counties north of San Luis Obispo, Kern and San Bernardino; one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset elsewhere.

Quail — Ends December 1 in Mono, Inyo, Imperial, and portions of San Bernardino and Riverside counties; ends December 15 in District 1-3; ends December 31 elsewhere. Bag and possession limits: 8 birds.

Sierra Hares — Ends December 31 in Inyo and Mono counties. No open season elsewhere. Bag and possession limits: 2 per day.

Tree squirrels — Ends December 31 in specified central and northern California areas. Bag limit: 2 per day.

Ducks, Waterfowl — Ends January 1. Daily bag and possession limits: 6 ducks and 2 widgeons or 2 pintails or 1 of each; 6 geese but not more than 2 birds of the dark species; 3 black sea brant; 15 coots; 25 mergansers. Shooting hours: one-half hour before sunrise to one hour before sunset.

Trout — No closed season in Colorado river area. Closed elsewhere. Bag and possession limits: 10 in Colorado river area.

Black Bass, Sunfish, Crappie — Bag limits: 5 bass; 25 sunfish, crappie, Sacramento perch combined. Local exceptions.

A booklet on the use of Soil Sterilants for weed control is available free from the Farm Advisors office, Post Office Building, Visalia.

BUTANE

Jack Griggs, Inc.
SALES AND SERVICE

COMPLETE INSTALLATIONS
OF ALL APPLIANCES

1030 East Date St. Phone 99-J
Porterville, California

Porterville Cement Pipe Co.

Irrigation Systems Installed
and Guaranteed

Gates and Valves — Trenches Dug and Back-Filled
Foundation Piers — Sewer Drains — Septic Tanks
Grease Traps

Bob and George Jurkovich, Prop.

1063 Date Street

Plant: South Main Street — Phone 545

Porterville

like that, actually the birds are released a few days before the hunter goes afield.

The cooperative hunting areas is a method provided by law where wildlife officials may use private farm land in return for other consideration to the farmer, for the liberation of pen reared pheasants for the immediate harvesting by the gunners. Part of the coop system calls for control of the number of people who may hunt on a given area at a given time. Yet many complaints were heard about the necessity of waiting in line and for the first two days of the season about 30 arrests were made on the Firebaugh Coop for miscellaneous game law violations including trespass. It won't take too much complaining and too many violations for the land owners to call the deal off as far as they are concerned, then at least there will be no line to complain of, or for that matter, not much of a place to hunt.

Oh well, tomorrow we'll hie to the foothill farm of a friend and maybe we can kick up a wild-quail bird or two and maybe friend will let a couple of white leghorns fly out of the coop for us to bang at, say around 60c per pound.

We are pleased to announce
representation for

BLEVANS WIND MACHINES

For Effective Frost Protection

QUIET DEPENDABLE EFFICIENT

A Complete Line . . .

FIFTEEN TO ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE
HORSEPOWER

STATIONARY AND PORTABLE MODELS

Write or phone for complete details

Marks Tractor & Truck Co.

201 S. Main

Porterville

Phone 108

RICHFIELD OIL PRODUCTS



V. REED
WELLES
Agent

Telephone 983
South E Street
Porterville

Green Pastures

—From little seeds grow. Warm, damp ground causes early vigorous germination. For hardy pastures next year, plant now, cultivate and get good scientifically blended pasture mixes from—

B-J FARM SERVICE

A Tulare County Industry

Walnut at "D" St.

PORTERVILLE

Phone 224

WEATHER CUTS COTTON HARVEST TO 115,000 BALES

Agricultural labor was present and willing, but weather cut this week's cotton harvest in half. Last week, with an all time high in ginnings of 202,000 bales, was a marked contrast to the 115,000 bales ginned during the week ending November 24. Approximately 69,000 workers are still engaged in the cotton harvest and with the clearing weather the present week should show a definite increase in ginnings.

The total ginnings to date of 1,136,768 bales represents 66% of the San Joaquin valley's total estimates for the 1952 crop of 1,728,750 bales.

Farm Tribune Ads Pay.

Concrete Pipe — IRRIGATION PIPE — Installation Guaranteed

For Better Service To You We Use
2-way Radio Communication
Through Porterville Radio Dispatch.

**NELSON CONCRETE
PIPE CO.**

Phones: 443 or 120-J Porterville

THE OLD DAYS

From Miscellaneous Files of Pioneer Porterville Newspapers,
Provided Through the Courtesy of Howard J. Frame, Porterville.

**PORTERVILLE ENTERPRISE
November 23, 1900
Plano**

Mrs. Anna Reed and Mrs. Allen, the Misses Ruby Martin, and Carrie Creeks were packing oranges last week for G. Crist and Co., in Plano.

Bailey Kay Leach arrived from the city last Saturday evening on a short visit to his wife's parents, Prof. and Mrs. Turner. Mr. Leach is an artist and member of a firm that enlarges portraits in watercolor, pastel oil or Gonache.

A glorious rain, but oh my how the adobe sticks.

Lindsay

Oscar McIntyre was down from the mountains, shaking hands with his old friends who are pleased to see him.

The foreman and six packers for the Exchange packing house arrived yesterday.

Miss Goodrich of San Jose, a friend of Miss Grace Foster, came down to work in the fruit.

Miss Simmons arrived from Fresno Sunday. She is to arrange the fruit display for the fair.

Porterville

The citrus display at the Agricultural district fair at Tulare promises to be one of the finest exhibits ever made in the county, or anywhere else. All kinds of citrus fruits will be exhibited from Porterville, Lindsay and Exeter. Porterville and South Tule will exhibit together; J. T. Bearss has been very busy collecting the exhibits for them and has gathered a fine assortment of fruits.

Tomorrow evening the young ladies' quartette of Visalia will give an entertainment here, assisted by local talent. This promises to be the event of the season. The second part of the program will be a capital farce comedy entitled, "The Little Rebel," with the following cast: J. L. Dinwiddie, W. H. Weslar, Mrs. Trefry, Maud Manter and Maud Green.

Owing to the heavy rain, orange and lemon picking has had to stop. The streets have been pretty lively during the week, lots of strange men being around waiting to go to picking and packing again.

Preaching service at the Baptist church in Ackerman hall Sunday. J. E. Combs is the pastor.

The store now occupied by L. E. Jones, the harness maker, in the Palace hotel block, will become vacant and be for rent on and after December 1. For particulars, apply to J. S. Labille.

A. Laidlaw has sold his residence on the county road to T. A. Kelly and purchased from T. A. Kelly two and one-half acres opposite the F. W. Woodley property on which he will build a two-story home.

When you buy flour and want the best, ask for Porterville flour. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burford leave for San Francisco today.

**THE FARM TRIBUNE
November 26, 1948**

Thirteen head of fat steers will be shown by Porterville high school Future Farmers and 4-H club members from the Porterville area at the Great Western Livestock show November 27 in Los Angeles.

Negotiations for the purchase of the Woodville and Linell Farm Labor camps by the Tulare County Rural Housing association, the non-profit cooperative group of farmers that is now operating the camps under a use permit, are being continued.

Porterville's noted community chorus will sing next Wednesday evening when a Christmas program on the library building lawn will officially open the holiday season in the community.

General Hauling

Phone 1224-W

**MOORE'S TRANSFER
RODGERS L. MOORE**

Where Your Patronage
Is Appreciated

810 W. Olive Porterville

Holiday Fruit And Wine Pudding "Crowns" Any Feast

Holiday fruit and wine pudding is as festive as the season it will help celebrate. A delicious change from the steamed puddings, fruit cakes, pies and cookies so much a part of the Christmas dessert picture, this refrigerator pudding will truly "crown" any feast.

Holiday Fruit and Wine Pudding (Serves 9)

32 marshmallows
¾ cup milk
¼ cup California Sherry Wine
1 (9 oz.) can crushed pineapple, thoroughly drained.
1 cup prepared glace fruit mix, chopped fairly fine
1 cup heavy cream, whipped
1 (7 ½ oz.) package vanilla wafers, crushed to fine crumbs

Combine marshmallows, milk and wine in the top of a double boiler; heat over boiling water, stirring frequently, until marshmallows are melted. Let cool, then chill. When mixture begins to stiffen, beat until foamy. Stir in pineapple and glace fruit mix; fold in whipped cream. Spread half the vanilla wafer crumbs over bottom of a 9-inch square pan; spoon marshmallow mixture evenly over crumbs; sprinkle remaining crumbs over pudding and smooth down gently with the back of a spoon. Chill 24 hours. Cut in squares and serve plain or topped with whipping cream. A few bits of glace fruit mix may be used to garnish each serving, if desired.

APPLICATIONS IN FOR NEW CHIEF

Several applications for the job of chief of police in Porterville have been received by City Manager Charles Cummings, however, it is possible that a new chief will not immediately be named.

Acting chief, since the resignation of former chief, Jack Allison, last Saturday, is Capt. Francis Torregian. Allison stated that he resigned to accept a position as special investigator with the Southern California Edison company.

Christian Science Service Today

A Thanksgiving Day service will be held in First Church of Christ, Scientist, Porterville, Calif., on Thursday, November 27, and also in all Christian Science churches in the United States. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The spirit of the Christian Science Thanksgiving Day service is expressed in the following statement, included in the special service for this Thursday, from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mrs. Eddy: "If Mind was first chronologically, is first potentially, and must be first eternally, then give to Mind the glory, honor, dominion, and power everlastingly due its holy name."

Farm Labor Union Office Is Closed

Fresno office of the National Farm Labor Union, AFL, has been closed, with W. A. Swearingen, union representative in Fresno, stating that national funds for operation of the office have been withdrawn in favor of organization work among Louisiana sugar cane workers.

Mr. Swearingen states the union has no intention of pulling out of California.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results

Flash 'em Outside
Flash 'em Inside
Flash 'em on the Table
THAT BIRD ON
THANKSGIVING DAY
KODAKS FILMS
FLASH LAMPS

Hammond
"The Photographer
In Your Town"

1018 SUNNYSIDE AVE.
EASY PARKING



SERVICE ALWAYS,
CALL OUR NUMBER,
IF YOU WANT
WELL-SEASONED
LUMBER!

**Porterville LUMBER
and
MATERIALS CO.**

"EVERYTHING FOR BUILDING"
EARL HODGSON, Mgr.

1255 N. Main St.

Porterville

Telephone 686

Mr. Poultryman:

DO YOU HAVE A GOOD YEAR AROUND
MARKET FOR YOUR EGGS?

Come In and Let Us Tell You About
Our Egg Marketing Program

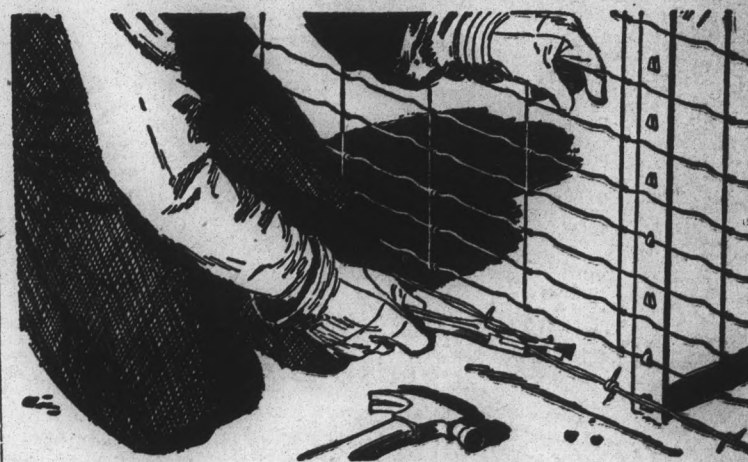
J. B. HILL CO.

Porterville Branch

HILCO FEEDS

100 E. Orange

Phone 2031



Makes a fence hog-tight

To stop hogs from rooting or digging under the fence, stretch one strand of U-S-S American Barbed Wire about two inches below the woven wire. Its extra-sharp barbs keep animals in. For your livestock, build a complete fence of American Barbed Wire—best protection you can buy. This sturdy wire is heavily galvanized to fight rust, and it comes in all popular styles, including two and four-point barbs.

Inspect U-S-S American Barbed Wire and its ideal partner, woven American Fence. We handle both.

Headquarters for
Columbia-Geneva Steel
Products for the Farm



PORTERVILLE HARDWARE CO.

"THE HARDWARE PEOPLE"

230 N. Main St.

Porterville

Peach Blight Control By Spray

It's not too late to spray for Peach blight says Farm Advisor Jack Foott. Past history will tell you whether or not you need to spray for Coryneum blight. This fungus produces twig cankers and bud killing in the dormant season, and later a shothold of leaves with the eventual spotting of the fruit.

Control measures should be taken before December 15th. The use of a Bordeaux 10-10 to 100 gallons of water or "fixed copers" at manufacturer's recommendations plus adhesive is needed for control. Use this spray only when blight has been detected.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results



Range Bulls

F. R. & EVALYN
FARNSWORTH

Phone: White River 4-F-2

Nation's Cattle Reach Record Number

Department of agriculture figures indicate an increase of five million head of cattle in the United States in 1952, a figure that will put the nation's cattle at an all-time high of 93 million head. If this increase continues, cattle numbers might reach 100 million in the next two years, bringing a problem in relation to range feed.

New Raisin Use

A method of adding Thompson seedless raisins into packages of ready-mix pancake flour is being sought by William V. Cruess, professor of food technology at the California college of agriculture, who states that Thompson seedless raisins make a delicious addition to ready-mix pancakes if added on a ratio of one-half cup raisins to one cup of hot cake flour.

C. OF C. MEET

Twenty-fifth annual meeting of the California state chamber of commerce will be held at the Fairmont hotel in San Francisco December 4 and 5.

Grain planted on land which was farmed last year should be fertilized with nitrogen at seeding time. Forty pounds of nitrogen per acre should be sufficient.

We Only Heard

By BILL RODGERS

WITH ORANGE season now moving into full swing, you might be interested in knowing that the Navel orange dates back to about 1646. It was first propagated between 1810 and 1820 by a Portuguese at Bahia, Brazil; in 1870 a missionary, the Rev. F. I. C. Schneider, shipped 12 budded trees to William Saunders of the U. S. department of agriculture, and, in 1873, Mr. Saunders sent two trees to Mrs. Luther C. Tibbets at Riverside. Mrs. Tibbets planted these trees in her yard and it was from them that the Navel orange industry grew. She called them Washington Navels since her trees came from Washington, D. C.

STAR CHAMBER sessions are sometimes difficult to define, but for the sake of our own news reporting and editorial comment we will, in the future, consider as a star chamber session any meeting of publicly elected officers at which business is discussed, regardless of where or when or under what conditions the meeting is held, if the meeting is not open to the press and public. . . . Porterville city councilmen, please note.

RECEIVED AN attractive brochure from Lindsay Ripe Olive company advertising a special gift package of Lindsay brand, California ripe olives. This type of selling is good, although volume, in relation to an entire season crop, may not be greatly effected by this type of thing. . . . It has always been our opinion that the periodic "over-supplies" of farm products could be handled to a great extent by really hard-hitting advertising and selling.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS to Coach Carl Elder and his Porterville Panthers. Although they lost the valley championship game with Fresno last Friday, 7-0, the Panthers still looked good. This year's team is a credit to Carl, to the school and to the community.

ONE OF the great acrobats of the times is Michael Strauss, the "strong man" of the bureau of reclamation. At Long Beach a week or so ago, Mr. Strauss leaped high into the air, turned a complete flip, landed on both feet and proclaimed to the world that the state of California should take over the Central Valley's project. . . . Of course Mr. Strauss will be out of a job January 20, when the new administration takes over in Washington, and straight from the grapevine comes word that he has made himself available as manager of the CVP when the state takes control. We'll bet that's one job Mr. Strauss never gets, in spite of his policy flip flops.

CLOSED AGAIN is the rockhouse. It's our guess that this time it will remain closed. Meanwhile, a business boom has hit the local legal profession. Several Porterville business firms are suing Walter Seil, supposedly the owner of the rockhouse, Joanne Ford, alleged operator and Francis D. Fisher, contractor who remodeled the building, these firms seeking a total of some \$4,800 for various work and materials expended on the remodeling job. Francis Fisher, in turn, is suing Joanne Ford for about \$6,000 and there is some talk going around that another suit may be filed. . . . Now we wonder if, originally, someone promised protection, then couldn't produce.

GAYLE LUALLEN, a Lindsay high school senior, has been selected queen of the Lindsay Olive bowl football game, sponsored annually on Thanksgiving day by the Lindsay Lions club. Visalia College of the Sequoias will meet Reedley college in the bowl feature.

SOIL STERILANTS RECOMMENDED FOR WEED CONTROL ALONG DITCHES; ALSO ON SOME AGRICULTURAL LAND

By Vincent H. Schweers
Farm Advisor
Weed control with a soil steril-

TERRA BELLA RANCHERS PLANT FOUNDATION SEED

By Ralph L. Worrell
Farm Advisor

Two Tulare county ranchers have been selected to plant foundation seed this fall of the new Ramona 50 wheat. They are Nagel Bros., Tulare, and Jim and Dick Muller, Terra Bella.

Remona wheat is the most popular variety grown in the southern San Joaquin Valley. For many years it has been a mainstay of the wheat industry in Tulare county.

In 1944 the University of California college of agriculture released an improved strain of the Ramona wheat which was called Ramona 44. Although it was distinctly superior to the earlier strain in production, the plant breeders at Davis still are not satisfied with certain of its characteristics. Accordingly, a vigorous plant breeding program has been under way since 1944 to further purify the seed strain and develop desirable characteristics.

This fall the improved strain was released to the farmers of California for the first time. Called Ramona 50, it exhibits all of the qualities desirable in a fast growing, quick maturing wheat of high quality. It is particularly adapted to growing conditions in the San Joaquin valley.

Seed grown this winter on the Nagel and Muller ranches will all be available as certified seed to other farmers in the area. Seed from these certified fields will in turn be used for general commercial production the following year.

Feeding of dairy cows represents 60 per cent of the cost of producing milk.

ant is an ideal way to control weeds on ditch banks. One treatment with the permanent type materials will give results for at least one year.

Good results are dependent on the amount of material used per given area, the uniformity of application, and the moisture needed to carry the material into the root zone of the plants.

Since the rains have started, the materials can be applied now, and until about February 1st. The container will give the rate of application for the material you buy. Don't be too saving on material, the medium to heavy applications will give longest results.

Best application can be made, if the material is sprayed on the soil surface.

Temporary types of soil sterilants such as sodium TCA can be used in agricultural lands now, providing the soil need not be worked or the next crop planted for at least six weeks.

WATER HEATERS

Reconditioned
Guaranteed for 1 Yr.

20 Gal. Natural Gas
\$25.00

30 Gal. Natural Gas
\$32.50

20 Gal. Butane
\$29.50

WEST OLIVE SUPPLY

1519 W. Olive Phone 2173-W

Butane and Propane For Home and Farm Use

SIERRA VANGAS

1332 W. Olive St.

Phone 933-J

Porterville



JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME!

In the days of the Pilgrims, it was kind of "touch and go." Yet the Pilgrims took time out to thank The Almighty for His blessings. In the same spirit we humbly thank Him for His benefits . . . for giving us the privilege of living as free men.

A Happy Thanksgiving To All!

Brey-Wright Lumber Co.

PORTERVILLE
Phone 1640

COTTON CENTER
Phone 95-W-1

TERRA BELLA
2042

SEARS
ROEBUCK AND CO.

DO YOUR

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
EARLY!

Say Merry Christmas with gifts from Sears CATALOG

FOR HIM
FOR HER
FOR THE

Entire family!

Sears Catalog Sales Office

302 N. Main

Phone 1580

Porterville

Farm Tribune Ads Pay.

CLASSIFIED SAVE TIME AND MONEY

**BUY IT! SELL IT!
TRADE IT!
RATE**

4c per word for one issue.
8c per word, same ad for three issues.
\$1.00 minimum charge.

NOTICE

Responsibility for an error in any advertisement will be assumed by The Farm Tribune for only one publication of said advertisement.

★ Miscellaneous Business 33

WELL DRILLING

Wells Cleaned, Developed and Tested by Air

GOINS DRILLING CO.

729 N. Santa Fe Visalia
Phone 2-0723 or 4-7566

n30-tf

★ Real Estate 53

WE ARE THANKFUL for your listings of ranches, homes and businesses.

\$21,500 — 40 acres, new 2 bedroom home, 40 more acres can be added. \$8,500 down.

\$16,000 — 4 complete homes for rentals and owners home, on 1 1/2 acres.

STROUT REALTY

Harold G. Brittell, Associate
1257 S. Main Phone 2125
Porterville

★ Wanted 76

CUSTOM COTTON stalk cutting; by the acre. Phone evenings, 62-W-4, Porterville, n27-5p

★ Misc. For Sale 75

5 GAL. CANS OF ROOF COATING Material. Special while it lasts, \$1.00 per gal.; also Sisalkraft Hay Covering paper. Weisenberger's Farm Supply, 1231 W. Olive, Porterville. Phone 1790.

SPECIAL ON MEAT CHICKENS—

Hens, 25c lb. live; 40c lb. pan-ready; Cornish Cross Fryers, 35c lb. live, 60c lb. pan-ready. Buist Poultry, on old Springville highway, one-quarter mile east of Hillcrest Cemetery. Phone Porterville 2096. e18tf

WE WANT WHITE HENS, FRYERS, COLORED HENS. Highest Prices Paid. Contact Mr. Hill, UNITED POULTRY CO. of Bakersfield (merger of Sea Breeze, Inc. and A & A Poultry Co.) Phone Bakersfield 3-7936 or 5-5541. Jly10tf

FOR SALE — Purebred Angus, (without papers), 18 months old. Harry Scruggs, phone 165-W, Porterville. n2t

★ Public Notice

PASTURE LAND FOR RENT

Bids for the rental of two parcels for pasture purposes will be received by the Board of Directors of the Vandalia Irrigation District up to 7:30 o'clock p.m. on November 28, 1952, for the calendar year 1953.

PARCEL 1: 75 acres, more or less, in the Northeast quarter of Section 1, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, M.D.B. & M.

PARCEL 2: 77 Acres, more or less, in the East half of the Northwest quarter of Section 6, Township 22 South, Range 28 East, M.D.B. & M.

Alternate bids may be submitted and will be considered by the District covering a three year period. For further particulars, see H. C. Pegram, Secretary, Vandalia Irrigation District, or phone 51-F-3. n13-3

OPEN - CLOSED - SIGNS at The Farm Tribune Office, 522 N. Main St. Porterville.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 11890

In the Superior Court of the State of California In and For the County of Tulare

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BELLE CUNNINGHAM HOAG, ALSO KNOWN AS BELLE C. HOAG AND BELLE HOAG, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased or against her estate, to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, at his office at the Court House in the City of Visalia, County of Tulare, State of California, or to file such claims, together with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice with the said executrix at the office of Burford & Hubler, Bank of America Building, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, which said last named office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said deceased.

ISABELLE MARY HOAG, Executrix of Last Will and Testament of said Deceased.

BURFORD & HUBLER
Attorneys for Executrix
P. O. Box 308
Porterville, California

Date of First Publication: October 30, 1952. o30,n6,13,20,27

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 11912

In the Superior Court of the State of California In and For the County of Tulare

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF FRED A. BROWN, ALSO KNOWN AS FRED BROWN AND F. A. BROWN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of said deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased or against his estate, to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, at his office at the Court House in the City of Visalia, County of Tulare, State of California, or to file such claims, together with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice with the said administrator at the office of Burford & Hubler, Bank of America Building, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, which said last named office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said deceased.

THEODORE F. BROWN,
Administrator of the Estate of said Deceased.

BURFORD & HUBLER
Attorneys for Administrator
P. O. Box 308,
Porterville, California.

Date of First Publication: November 27, 1952 n27,d4,11,18,25

LEGAL ADVERTISING

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE VANDALIA IRRIGATION DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Vandalia Irrigation District has delivered the assessment book of said district to the undersigned, the Collector thereof, and the assessments levied by the Board of Directors of the said Vandalia Irrigation District for the year 1952-1953 are now due and payable, and that they will be delinquent as follows:

The FIRST installment, being one-half of the assessment on Monday, the 29th day of December, 1952, at five o'clock p.m. and if not paid prior thereto, 10% and costs will be added to the amount thereof.

The SECOND installment, being the remaining one-half of said assessment, on Monday, the 29th day of June, 1953, and if not paid prior thereto, 5% and costs will be added.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that payment of such assessment may be made to the undersigned at the office of the Board of Directors in the Main Booster Station in said Vandalia Irrigation District, County of Tulare, State of California, on and after the 15th day of November, 1952, and that the Collector will attend at said time and place between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 5 o'clock p.m., every Wednesday and Saturday, to receive said assessments, which must be paid in lawful money.

H. C. PEGRAM, Collector,
Vandalia Irrigation District.
n20,27,d4

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Porterville Union High School District in the Porterville Union High School office at 8:00 p.m. December 8, 1952, at which time bids will be opened for the purchase of 24 typewriters. The typewriters must be of standard make, elite or pica type, blank key board, and suitable for instructional purposes in school classes. Bidders must be willing to accept, in exchange, certain used typewriters at an approximate trade-in allowance of \$60.00 each. Only standard makes will be accepted, and the Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to select the instrument determined most suitable to classroom needs, or to waive any irregularities.

Bids must be accompanied with a certified check in not less than 10% of the amount of total bid. Bids may be presented on the basis of a unit price as well as a group bid.

NEVA M. DARR, Clerk
Board of Trustees
Porterville Union High School District.
n20,27

Olive scale on olives is most easily controlled by early post-bloom spraying. On the other hand, olive scale on deciduous trees and shrubs should be sprayed

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 11891

In the Superior Court of the State of California In and For the County of Tulare

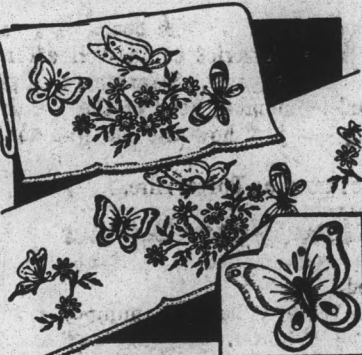
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HERBERT J. CHRISTIAN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the Last Will and Testament of said deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased or against his estate, to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, at his office at the Court House in the City of Visalia, County of Tulare, State of California, or to file such claims, together with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice with the said executrix at the office of Burford & Hubler, Bank of America Building, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, which said last named office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said deceased.

VELMA CHRISTIAN, Executrix of Last Will and Testament of said Deceased.

BURFORD & HUBLER
Attorneys for Executrix
P. O. Box 308
Porterville, California

Date of First Publication: October 30, 1952. o30,n6,13,20,27



BUTTERFLIES AND FLOWERS

What a beautiful combination! Nature's own color scheme embroidered or painted on your nicest linens. This pattern is designed so it is adaptable to articles other than sheets and pillow slips. Use part or all of the designs on luncheon sets, blouses, skirts, hankies, etc. An ideal design for various forms of textile or hand painting as well as a variety of embroidery stitches. It comes in multi-stamp Hot Iron Transfer. Ask for number C3245. Enclose 21c and mail to The Farm Tribune, 522 N. Main St., Porterville. Allow 15 to 21 days for delivery.



Each One Yard 54"

9387-12-20

by Marian Martin

Pattern 9387: weskit and skirt—each takes only ONE yard of 54-inch in any of these sizes—12, 14, 16, 18 and 20.

Send Thirty-five cents in coins for this pattern to 170 Newspaper Pattern Dept., 232 West 18th St., New York 11, N. Y. Print NAME, ADDRESS with ZONE.



The Packard Patrician four-door sedan for 1953, above, in the new line of Packard cars for the luxury car market, is on display in dealer showrooms. Two distinct lines of cars have been announced by Packard Motor Car Company: Packard cars for the top-price field and a line of Packard Clippers at medium prices. There are seven cars in the Packard line, including family sedans and chauffeur-driven models. Power steering, designed by Packard, is introduced for the first time as optional equipment along with air conditioning. There are power brakes, ultramatic no-shift automatic transmission, and other recent contributions to easier motoring. Packard advanced contour styling is retained with refinements to further accentuate low appearance. Models in the Packard line have a 180 horsepower engine with 8 to 1 compression ratio.

TIPTON NEWS

The Tipton 4-H cooking class under the supervision of Mrs. H. B. DeMasters met for the regular November meeting at the Methodist Church. Fruits and fruit preparation were discussed and demonstrated.

The class decided to make and sell holiday pudding beginning Wednesday, Nov. 19, and lasting through December 15th. Orders are being taken by members or may be mailed in to Tipton, P. O. Box 313. The puddings are attractively steamed in pint jars with the recipe for the suggested sauce to be used for topping enclosed. All are prepared and packaged by 4-H members. The selling price is \$1.00 with postage being paid

Sunkist Sales Up

Sales value of all fresh fruit and products marketed by Sunkist Growers during the crop year ending October 31 was \$165,000,000 fob, an increase of approximately \$15,000,000 over the previous year, according to Paul S. Armstrong, general manager of the citrus marketing cooperative.

The new California Common No. 49 alfalfa variety is especially recommended for the south San Joaquin Valley since it is resistant to dwarf — our worst alfalfa disease. Calverde is the next best variety.

out of town. This is the first 4-H money making project and the club is interested in securing orders from near and far.

The members will meet Saturday evening at 7 p.m. at the DeMasters' home to prepare the puddings.

Remember to mail orders in as early as possible.

All money will be turned over to the general Tipton 4-H treasurer to be used for projects for the fast growing club.

Licensed - Bonded ESCROWS

TITLE COMPANY OF YOUR CHOICE

- Complete Escrow Service
- Complete Record in Porterville
- Quick Service
- Same Charge as Title Company

SAVE TIME . . .

. . . SAVE MILEAGE

Use Our Complete ESCROW SERVICE

Harry J. Johnson Co.

Real Estate, Insurance, Escrows
520 N. Main St. — Phone 752
Porterville

LAWN RENOVATING

- EASIER MOWING
- LESS WATER
- BETTER APPEARANCE

For Free Estimate Call

DAYBELL NURSERY

Phone 593 On "E" Just North of Olive Porterville

The Toy Haven

322 N. Main St. Porterville

WISH TO

ANNOUNCE

They Will Be Open Every

Thursday, Friday and Saturday Night

Beginning Friday, November 28

A COMPLETE LINE OF TOYS AND GIFTS

The Farm Tribune

Published Weekly at Porterville, California
522 North Main Street
Porterville, California
John H. Keck, William R. Rodgers - Co-Publishers

The Farm Tribune was declared a Newspaper of General Circulation on January 10, 1949, by judgment of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Tulare.

AND STILL THE STRATHMORE FARM GOES AHEAD WITH IMPROVEMENTS

We never stop marveling at the Strathmore high school farm. It was started through some fine community cooperation, it is being developed by agricultural students as part of their project work and it is costing the tax payers of the district practically nothing.

Right now crops are being planted; facilities have been set up for livestock projects of students who do not have facilities at home; test plots of cereal grains and grass have been put in; a hothouse has been constructed for use of students in connection with class work in plant propagation; one of the senior agricultural students was given a land levelling contract on a block of the farm recently (what better practical training is there than something of this kind?) and a flock of sheep, from Sears-Roebuck foundation stock, is thriving.

Strathmore high school district is not over-burdened with assessed valuation, it is not a wealthy district; according to the book it probably couldn't afford a school farm, in fact according to the book, a school farm cannot be developed as has been done at Strathmore.

But there the farm is, getting better each year, offering a means of excellent practical training for Future Farmers. It's there because the people of the Strathmore district want it there badly enough to make the necessary effort and badly enough to give a hand along the line when help is needed.

We've said it before, but here we go again. The board of trustees of the Porterville Union High School district could well afford to spend a couple of hours with D. R. Lightner, Strathmore high school superintendent, and with Charles Solomon, head of the Strathmore agricultural department finding out just how the job was done in Strathmore.

Maybe then we could get a school farm at Porterville.

Dr. C. H. Ludwig

(Continued from Page 1)

that examinations will be announced in the near future for specific jobs. Applications for jobs will be handled through the Porterville office of the state department of employment.

Representing the state at the Monday meeting were Phillip A. Smith, from the department of mental hygiene and Sam Jackson, from the state personnel department. State Senator J. Howard Williams of Porterville, chairman of a community coordinating committee, presided.

Farm Tribune Ads Pay.

New Water District

(Continued from Page 1)

Water would be pumped from the Friant-Kern canal and existing ditches would probably be used for distribution. It is stated that about 14,000 acre feet of Class 1 water has been reserved by the bureau or reclamation for use in this area.

Attending the Tuesday night meeting were Alfred Cooper, Walter Smith, Marie Brey, Alberta Brey, Martin Michaelis, Elmer Wales, Victor Bowker, Don McKillican, Jack Egorov, Paul Moore, Eugene Jacobs, Henry Campbell and Jackson Mead.

This group, with any other interested persons, plans to meet once a week in the future, with next meeting set for the evening of December 3 at the Porterville city hall.

28 Breeders Consign

(Continued from page 1)

Ian, Cecil R. Weldon and C. W. Weldon, Clovis; C. B. Montgomery & Son, Riverdale.

W. V. Peterson, Fresno; Soult's Farms, Tulare; Floyd Slocum, Jerome Vierra and Foster R. Vierra Jr., Hanford; and Fred E. Vanderhoof, Woodlake.

Cattle will be shown at noon, December 14, with Harry Parker as judge; auctioneer for the sale will be Charles Adams.



GIFTS and
GREETING CARDS
For Everyone

Brey's Book Shelf

Gifts — Books — Cards
Rental Library
600 N. D St. Phone 618
Porterville

POSTMASTER: If addressee has removed or if undeliverable for any cause please notify sender on Form 3547.

FARM TRIBUNE — 522 N. MAIN ST.

Sec. 34 66 P. L. & R.
U. S. POSTAGE
PAID
PERMIT NO. 55
Porterville, Calif.

OCCUPANTS

Local

Improvements Planned

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1)
many wholesale firms have fair exhibits made up that can be obtained if spoken for far enough in advance.

Other routine business was considered by directors. Present were: A. K. Hodgson, Rolla Bishop, Chester Gilbert, Bob Board, Bob Bennett, Troy Hutchinson and Bill Rodgers and Manager Ernie Cassidy.

ROBERT C. LEWIS is the new regional fisheries management supervisor under the state department of fish and game heading region IV, with headquarters at Fresno.

Weeds in nurseries and around young trees should be controlled in the winter as well as during the balance of the year. Competition from weeds lowers the vigor of young trees.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results

PORTER THEATRE

Phone 373

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

HURRICANE

SMITH TECHNICAL

Yvonne De CARLO • John IRELAND

— Also —

"My Wife's Best Friend"
Anne BAXTER
Macdonald CAREY

LATE NEWS — CARTOON

Continuous Sun. from 1:00 p.m.

Shoe Outlet

JUST OPENED

New High Quality Shoes for entire family at 1/2 price or less. A's to AAAAA's. High quality name brand. Slightly used, sterilized shoes. Men's, Women's and Children's, 50c to \$5.50.

Guaranteed Shoe Repairing For Less

FRIENDLY, COURTEOUS SERVICE

500 N. Main

Porterville

Blankets

For The Cooler Weather

COTTON — PART WOOL — WOOL,

RAYON AND COTTON MIXED

AND ALL WOOL BLANKETS

Prices To Suit Every Purse

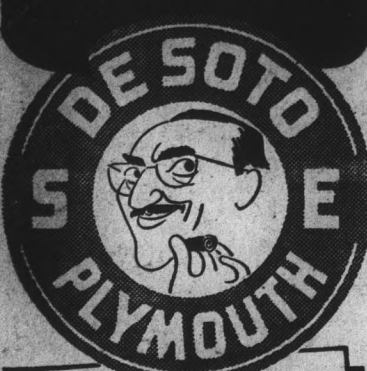
Quality For Every Need

BULLARD'S

525 N. Main Street

Phone 17

And Tell 'Em Groucho
Sent You In For A
WINTER CHECK-UP!



GET ALL THIS DONE:

- Change to Winter Grade Oil
- Flush Cooling System—Add Anti-Freeze
- Lubricate Transmission and Differential
- Examine Entire Electrical System
- Tune Engine for Top Performance
- Check Heater and Defroster Operation
- Test Brakes, Tires, Steering



You'll find men who know your car best at this sign of better service!

BICE MOTORS

DeSoto Plymouth

Putnam at Second

Phone 1143

Porterville



A MODERN FUNERAL HOME
CONVENIENTLY LOCATED

Deputy Coroner
Lady Attendant

Telephone 54
500 North E Street

PROTECT YOUR HAY

WITH

**SISAL-KRAFT
HAYSTACK
COVERS**

JONES HARDWARE CO.

Porterville, California